

Third Dental Q and A Session Deals with Orthodontic Treatment

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MY 14-YEAR-OLD SON HAS "CROOKED" TEETH. I THINK HE SHOULD HAVE ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT, BUT MY HUSBAND SAYS THAT IT'S NOT IMPORTANT ENOUGH TO BOTHER ABOUT.

How a person's teeth and

mouth look is very important. This is part of the appearance he presents to other people; appearance and smile are important in the business and the social world. Teen-agers are especially conscious of and sensitive about their appearance. Sometimes crowded, protruding teeth are the cause of a serious emotional problem.

HEALTH PROBLEM

A health problem is also involved. Failure of the teeth to meet properly may interfere with chewing. This may prevent the individual from eating the foods necessary for adequate nutrition. Food particles lodge more readily between teeth that are not in their proper position, and teeth that overlap or are crowded are much more difficult to clean. Food particles retained between the teeth and near the gums lead to tooth decay and diseases of the gums.

AT WHAT AGE SHOULD ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT BE STARTED?

This is something that has to be decided on an individual basis by an orthodontist, a dentist who is a specialist in this field. There is no one right age for everyone; the nature of the difficulty determines when treatment should begin.

Sometimes adults are distressed because they have irregular teeth but think nothing can be done, since they did not receive orthodontic treatment as children. In many such cases, however, some improvement still is possible with the proper treatment.

HOW LONG DOES ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT TAKE?

It can take from six months to two years or more, depending upon the severity of the condition.

DO ORTHODONTIC APPLIANCES CAUSE THE TEETH TO DECAY?

Actually, a well cemented band protects that portion of the teeth which is covered. However, food particles are more likely to be lodged in the mouth when an appliance is worn. It is most important that the appliance and the teeth be kept scrupulously clean, to protect the exposed surfaces of the teeth from decay. Orthodontic treatment usually leaves the teeth, gums and supporting bone structure in a healthier condition than they were before treatment.

PARTY DINERS

Gathered for dinner at the Pen & Quill Restaurant in Manhattan Beach recently were Mr. and Mrs. Jack M. Norford of Torrance and their party guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Fister of San Leandro, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Warren of Hollywood Riviera.

School Menu

Elementary school lunches, including milk, cost 30 cents. Ice cream bars are six cents extra, while single bottles of milk cost four cents. On the menus are:

Monday — hamburger on a bun, stewed tomatoes, lettuce wedge and thousand island dressing, pear half, cookie, milk.

Tuesday — Vegetable beef casserole, buttered spinach, apple sections, raisin rice custard, bread, butter, milk.

Wednesday — Manager's special, with most popular dish at individual schools.

Thursday — spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, pineapple and grapefruit, gelatin, chocolate pudding with bananas, hot French bread, milk.

Friday — tuna loaf with

Bridge Club Meets

The Wednesday morning Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Eric Borner, 26218 Delos Drive. Following brunch, bridge was played by: Mes Beryl Gutridge, Frank Haggerty, Hal French, Robert Powers, Tony Santaella, Ellis Myer, and E. W. Baumgardner.

High score was held by Mrs. Baumgardner and second high by Mrs. Santaella. Next week's hostess will be Mrs. Santaella.

creamed peas, calico slaw, sliced peaches, whole wheat bread, butter, milk.

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Greyfriars Chapel Dedication Ceremonies Scheduled for Today

Greyfriars Orthodox Presbyterian Church will hold dedication services for the new chapel and social hall, Sunday, Jan. 8.

Special church services will be held at 3 p.m., in the new building at 22511 So. Figueroa St., Torrance. Dr. Calderwood and the membership extend a cordial invitation to the general public to attend the services.

Dr. Calderwood announced his sermon as "Things Which Cannot be Shaken." Soloists Dwight Poundstone of Whittier and Shirley Reed of Inglewood will join the Long Beach Orthodox Presbyterian Choir in singing "How Great Thou Art." Early visitors to the new chapel have been impressed by the rosy-glow prevalent in the hall.

Welcome Wagon Meets January 12

A get-acquainted luncheon will be held by the Torrance Welcome Wagon at 12:15 p.m., Thursday at the Elks Club, 315 Esplanade, Redondo.

Members and newcomers interested in the club who wish to make reservations may call Mrs. J. Ralph Black, Davis 5-0378.

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Women's Guild Meets Tuesday

Women's Guild of the Seaside Community Church will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 10.

There will be a special program outlining the work of the Women's Guild. A film strip, "Women's Guild at Work," will be shown, and a humorous skit entitled "Telephonitis" will be presented. All members, especially those who are new, are urged to attend.

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